den to America this summer. The governor, secretary of state and

attorney-general are engaged in the reapportionment of the senatorial districts. broken and thousands of acres of the best farming lands in Illinois are under

The Hebrew Union college at Cin cinnati, was dedicated a few days ago. The institution will educate young men

The Farragut statue was unveiled a Washington, Menday, amidst apprepriate ceremonies. President Garfield made a short speech. James Williams, a school teacher an

an old man, was murdered by an Indian named Valentine Walker, in St. Louis county Monday.

to help carry the election. Shoo, shoo, shoo, this is too bad. Philadelphia Times: - "An inquiry i beginning to go around the country as

when this administration is going to begin to administer." At the close of last week, nine week ther navigation had been resumed, St

grain down the river. George Edwards, aged 19, was crushed te death by a train at Sedalia, Monday, his foot getting fast in a guard rail

while uncoupling some cars. Sixty-five homeless people of New York, principally boys, have been sent to Iowa by Whitelaw Reld, making the eleventh party transplanted by him.

The street car strike in St. Louis

asses it Garfield was elected. Lo! the republicans succeeded, but the country to full of strikes.

It is rumored that Jay Gould has, for weeks, been negotiating with the forsign shareholders and bondholders of he Illinois Central line to New Orleans so secure control thereof.

The French consul general at Tunis ffered to place the troops of the repub-He at the disposal of the bey,to preserve order in the European quarter, but the proposition was declined.

begs the New York Tribune to tell its litical (riends in the senate that they "making tools of themselves, and

lesing the respect of the country." The decision of the supreme court in all : nor could it. Read it for youself ;

and go and yote next Tuesday. The star route ring in Washington sems to be running the Mahone combisetten. Brady, the Boss, is the chief waer in the Republican, of which Goram is editor. Gorham is Riddleberger's

Elifah Keyton, an old citizen of Sase county, was murdered, last Sunday. ing found in a feed lot, the head crushed with a club. The dead man's pockets were rifled.

Anna Dickinson having backed out e her engagement to play Claude Mel sette, an exchange says :- "She will probably be sued for breach of conher to such a pass?

sbacks, it is safe to say that he is an ignoramus, who never got as far as rammar, and who has a sufreme conmpt for orthography.

Ida Lewis, the heroine of Lime Rock Moers and soldiers of Fort Adam, L. I., with a solid silver ten pot, as a reward for her bravery in saving two soldiers from drowning in Newport harbor last

Tuesday, and every voter should turn the submerged bettom 260 persons, 300 the hitherto belogged brain of many a school at 9% o'clock.

Elder C. S. Lucas will preach

put on a fleet of from five to eight steamcentract. In other words, as congress feet deep. will not vote subsidies, they will be giv- Charley Eckle was badly hurt in the en by the postoffice department, a la breast in the rescue party by being oceans of money for puddles knocked down by cattle.

THE POSTAL STEALS.

It has, for a long time, been suspected that there was an immense swindle in the star route postal contracts as conducted by the department at Washington.

sherman made up his budget of their se doing.

Judge Gammon's term having expiritions and expense by their enforced fence fenc Sherman made up his budget of the for their so doing.

httle over three years ago he was a farmer in Vermont, an ignerant, steptd of the county for the place. Louis had shipped 4,746.634 bushels of less, in round numbers, than \$412,000.

> rice-president of the United States, he ought success for James A. Garfield. The Times has to say of the Gilmer and have been much better for him to have Salisbury gang :- "The firm of Gilmer. Salisbury &Co., which did an even more the Dorsey growd, is composed of J. T. Gilmer, Munroe Salisbury and G. G.

Salisbury, the younger brether of Munroe. J. G. Gilmer was formerly stagedriver on the Holliday everland reute shrewd eye for business. In 1868 be Fargo & Co., over which most of the mails in the territories were at that time parried. Since then the firm has been engaged in the star route business, and nade a large fortune." After detailing he names of the many firms which made straw bids for Gilmer, Salisbury & Co., the Times says :- "The excess of pay received by the Gilmer & Salisbury combination over that called for by the original contracts amounts to the neat fortunes have been divided between Brady and the smaller contractors who are stready grown up in ignerance." excess of \$40,261 on a route of 261 special wonder?" Why, think of it? miles, John A. Waish secured an in- In a republican state; a state of God. ract." Will her fear of breeches bring crease of \$188.475 on a route from Pres. morality and learning, honored alder-

> Tilden and bought it away from Han-GRAND WORK BY THE FERRY BOAT UNDINE

> did not want the democrats to look at

50 wagen loads of household goods.

All honor to Capts. Wiley and Wil-

rising individuals have been advertis- Stockton, and \$250 each for eight of his ree lands for freedmen in Oklaho- gang, and will forward requisitions to The whole thing was a fraud, and Gov. Pitkin, of Colorade. Fer three the affair having become serious, the months these men have been protected semmissioner of the general land office at Durango, Col., and have furnished tion from France has any of the land in the. Neither this robber territory or usually devoted to abuse of the Republic This is a grand and glorious country, the Indian territory been open to settle- robber harboring state are democratic, lican were, by an inadvertence of the but it is letting this little Jehnny Crap- We have the largest stock of stoves and and he declares that the effort to induce amous Utah near at hand, they form the colored people to emigrate to Okla- three of the gems in the pure and re-

ELECTION FOR PROBATE JUDGE.

The election for probate judge in this \$1,000,000 in gold.

A Cincinnati physician claims to have found genuine triching in the back of fish.

Spontaneous combustion burned up an oil mills at Mendota, Illineis; loss, \$30,-000.

Indicate the second of congress every effort was made to ascertain just what was the real necessity of this service, but without any definite result, the record of the department being buried in a mass of details and red tape, the hold the office for two years. This is absolutely untrue. We print the decision and construct the seems to be an effort to obscure the seems to be an effort to obscure the and Omaha the river has been report. Some state of the digher than it was in 1844, but at the supreme court has decided that Judge Gammen has the right to hold the office for two years. This is absolutely untrue. We print the decision of the kind will practical and competent man in what the found in the programm of the form of holdings and the river has been report. Some state of the digher than it was in 1844, but at the supreme court has decided that year. The Ray do lot to distort them. It is assert that the supreme court has decided that year. The Ray do lot to distort them. It is assert the department being buried in a mass of details and red tape, the hold the office for two years. This is absolutely untrue. We print the decision of the kind will practical and competent man in what the found in the triver has been report. Some should be an effort to obscure the and Omaha the river has been report. Some should be an effort to obscure the and Omaha the river has been report. Some should be an effort to obscure the and Omaha the river has been report. Some should be an effort to obscure the and Omaha the river has been report. Some should be an effort to obscure the and Omaha the river has been report. The sound is the pound in the lack and of the lack an Spontaneous combustion burned up an oil mill at Mendota, Illineis; loss, \$30, 000.

The police commissioners of New Yerk have been indicted for neglecting te clean the streets.

Four hundred theusand dollars has been subscribed to establish a Hebrew erphan asylum in New York.

Contracts have been made to carry 60,000 emigrants from Norway and Sweden to America this summer.

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In Mr. James, who is the only really on elsewhere. Nothing of the kind will be found in it. The court enly decides that there was no provision in the law lor an election last Nevember. The present that there was no provision in the law lor and live stock in every direction. The was an election last Nevember. The present at there was no provision in the law lor and live stock in every direction. The was an election last Nevember. The present at there was no moving household goods and field glasses from the top of buildings here opening the time that Mr. James, who is the our every direction. The police commissioners of New York have been indicted to neglecting the New York world dubs the "chund cabinet," has been compelled, by public claim the regignation of the kind will glasses from the top of buildings here glasses from the top of buildings here opening the time that there was no provision in the law lor an election last Nevember. The present at the law of 1879, the second assistant post-that there was no provision in the law lor an election last Nevember. The present that there was no provision in the law lor an election last Nevember. The present at the law and Narrew Gauge are both world with the was no moving household goods and field glasses from the top of buildings here of the time that there was no provision in the law lor an election last Nevember. The present that there was no doubt that the law of 1879, the second assistant post-that there was no doubt that the law of 1879, the second assistant post-that there was no doubt that the law of 1879, t \$727,119 to \$2,803,214, and this fer prac- 1880, but the court refused to consider the mane work. The bottom above Napetically the same service. When Mr. intent, though there are many precedents leen is under water, and depopulated,

A New York business man ciphers it der Gen. Grant, seems beyond question.

To prove this we quote, not from a demetative costs the government from paper, but from the leading republican newspaper in America, the tricks. It is further asserted that Judge New York Times. Its correspondent in Herd agreed to ablide by the decision at New York Times. Its correspondent in Herd agreed to abide by the decision of ry of state. The necessary sum has writing from Washington, under date of the supreme court. This is a mailcious been veted by congress, and work will april 24 said:—"Those who claim to falsehood, charging an honorable man be commenced as soon as the drawings with a disgraceful not. If James B. of the details are completed. which is being made into the methods of Mord had made such a promise he would the star route ring say the half has not suffer his arm to be out off before he yet been made public and will not be would violate his plighted word. He ha have been abandoned, the water beuntil measures are taken to bring Brady does not want an office bad enough for ing much higher than during the first to justice, and the penitentiary, if possible. The whole steal is divided between that he is a gentleman; and he would what is known as the Dorsey gang and less his self respect were he to violate the Gilmer and Salisbury party, the latter being the most extensive operators in indirectly did he ever agree to such a the swindle. Dorsey's gang is composed compact. He had no right to do so. He his pencil to draw a picture of Mahone of J. W. Dorsey, J. M. Peck and J. R. was neminated at the primary election sitting down on Conkling. A promiseumoney was stelen by Garfield's consent Miner, who have acted as blinds for in June, 1880, by a vote of 1,587 to 1,-Stephen W. Dorsey, ex-senator from 496 for both of his opponents. He, leather, K. C. S. bouquets and blue Arkansas, and secretary of the republican national committee, bidding fer and democracy of the county. In November de fer filling de f brother of Stephen W. Dorsey. Only a 1,334 for Judge Kirkpatrick. He then

specimen of humanity. He was not so It is asserted by some persons that stupid that his more brilliant brother the court having decided against him, could not use him as a est's paw to pull Judge Hord should have acquiesced in gold from the public treasury, and he their decision. He does. Is there any was brought to Washington for this pur- evidence that he proposes to try to days here last week. pose. J. M. Peck, the second worthy of everride it? Of course not. But the the trio, is a brother-in-law of Stephen proposition that the legislature did not W. Dorsey, having married a sister of the latter's wife, and J. R. Miner, is a partner of the great original Dorsey ously made. It would be a monstrous Miss Ance Early, or the latter's wife, and J. R. Miner, is a feet in a previous law cannot be seriously made. It would be a monstrous Miss Ada Morton, or the control of the great original Dorsey ously made. have been pocketed by the Stephen W. for his successor. It would assessinate are visiting T. D. Saunders, Esq. Stephen W. Dorsey and his partners can to hold office by lackes of the law; and tell."

Spirit of our institutions of personal many spirit of our institut Times calls him, was the great camthe case when the people are so greatly | Meath, Ireland, died in London. His heir
the case when the people are so greatly | Lord Killeen, El years of age. paign leader in Indiana, where, accord- entraged as they have been in this case. Mrs. J. Bobt, Davis and child returns ing to Mr. Chester A. Arthur, by the Judge Gammon sould very gracefully. grace of Satan and the republican party and easily have made way for his successor had he desired to do so, and, as we teld him before January, it would

they ewe it to themselves to do se. clauming for their party that it is espelows who can't spell "baker." they to peur out te pesterity the fullness of have such feet. a republican newspaper of some respectability, hints that the compulsory educators in the legislature of Pennsylvania should be compulsorily educated. The Press savs :- "The bill enforcing comvirtually defeated at Harrisburg, deserved its fate for its clumsy phraseology defeated. The trouble is in Pennsyl- behind hand, has acquired a new citizen whose vania that our aldermen and legislators "Can such things be, and evercome us by letting us know whether or not it is the corlike a summer's cloud, without our rect one. In any event we hope the gentleman cott, Arizona, to Santa Fe, for which he men and legislators, the choice spirits of social and political life, solemnly annonneed to be "grown up in igno-So it goes; under Grant we had the whisky ring, the post-traderships, the rance."

navy swindles, and under Hayes the postal steals. No wonder these rogues neis senate arrived Menday morning, o'clock. thirteen members were present and the books. The deluge was better than that; so they stole the presidency from attempt to hold one without the consent She arrived last night at 8 e'clock, from the people is to cost us \$500 next mear Camden, having brought out of the event. It is beginning to dawn on o'clock, Rev. A. T. Sharpe officiating. Sunday est and by his ballot condemn all such head of live stock, 25 loaded wagons, republican that all the "Bourbons" and all the "Mossbacks" are not democrats.

weedledum and tweedledee-whether party;" or whether it will better pay
the pocket of a traiter to sustain the pap
dispensing occupant of the throne. We will get his bones into hot water one

than usual. The columns of the paper railread to DeLesseps' canal company. pressman, left white.

Lord Beaconsfield was buried, Tuesbems deserves the severest reprobation, splendent crows of republican morality. day, at Hughenden.

THE RIVER.

All the buildings on the levee at Oma Bluffs side the Chicage railroads send their passengers two or three miles in skiffs to the transfer depot.

We recommend Mr. Nast to sharpen ous melange of ambrosial locks, patent

Adam Walk, Jr., and wit

Hill; lost Thursday.

himself. He was brought from Sandes-ky, O., expressly to go into the star-route business. The amount known to

What percentage of this was transferred duty to do so. It is contrary to the Mr. W. F. Hirch, Jr., the Misseuri Pacific to Brady as his share of the spoils, only
Stephen W. Dorsey and his partners can to hold office by laches of the law; and

all knewledge. The Philadelphia Press. Mr. W. D. Wainright expects to start, Mon-

are neither a prophet nor the son of a at 9 instead of 9:30, as during the past winter

nal question. South Bend, Indiana, has small-pox. The Concert at Liberty.

The river, last night, stood at the On the 22d inst. a concert was given at Liberty. county takes place next Tuesday. The highest point yet reached—22 feet 3 Me., by our Raptist Female College, for the Citizens have generally made up their risen 12 inches during the previous him Misses Thompson and Crosthwait and Prof. Gimbet of his corps of teachers, it welve

leen is under water, and depopulated, the people being put to much inconven-

and Smith.

Fiane sole — "Lucia de Lammermoor"Taibeig, Miss Maud Hardwicke, Liberty.

Closing chorus—From "Mass in D."—Fiske
Vocal pupils and Male Quartette.

Benediction—Rev. H. M. Bichardson, D. D.

nificently performed, and though played by teacher and pupil, the usual order of things were

Kriehn, who showed berself by her brillians fine success, and were rewarded with the first encore of the evening, to which, however, they ens melange of ambrosial locks, patent and consequently successful pupils in the collecther, K. C. S. bouquets and blue lege, and is equally good in both vocal and in strumental music, and she played her solo, one of Gottachalk's most difficult compositions, in a style that wen for her the golden opinious of

secred many successes in Lexington in every melody. In every phrase was exhibited the

way or the other, and that's a comfort.

on the first and third Sundays in the day in Odessa on the second Sunday, and in Concerdia on the fourth membered with delight in Liberty, and gave membered with delight in Liberty, and gave us with a rather cleaner editorial page The sale is announced of the Panama splandid institution—the Baptist Female College.

pean get away with it badly on the ca- ranges ever brought to this market, which we intend to sell at bed rock prices for cash. BENNETT & MORRISON. Red Front Store, Main street.

TRANSFERS OF REAL ESTATE.

The following transfers of real estate county takes place next Tuesday. The lighest point yet reached—22 leet being the law will be found on the fourth page. Inches above low water mark—having to low with law will be found on the fourth page. urday, April 23.

> lot of 100 by 50 feet, Concordia, \$30. Ben Elliott to James Peak, 18 feet, part of lot 7, block 36, 1st addition to Lexington, \$1,900. James Peak to Gordon & Fulkerson. 18 feet, part of lot 7, block 36, 1st addilen to Laxington, \$2,250.
> Sarah E. White to Charles Stausburg.

> 10 scres in section 7, township 49, range 26, \$1,400. Elizabeth A. Callahan to Julius L Marshall, 21 acres in section 22, township 50, range 28, \$647.
> George W. Corder to George Nether-cutt, lot 1, Block B. Corder, \$50. Thomas J. Keller to Samuel Webb. 40 acres in section 28, township 50, range 24, \$920. Shelby & Buford to J. W. Martin, 80 icres in section \$1, township 48, range

D. M. Holden to Erastus Sisson, 40 acres in section 2, township 49, range Elias Corder to Frank Becker, 200 cres in section 21, township 50, range 24, \$8,000. John K. Ferrill to Abram Franks, 79

24, \$2,100.
R. M. Sparks to James C. Kelly, 1-2 ELECTRIC BATHS! ship 48, range 28, \$1,800.

John K. Ferrill to John J. Franks 81 6 10 acres in section 8, township 50 range 24, \$1,600.
Calvin Brown to Sarah A. Anderson 50 acres in section 18, township 50 range 25, \$2,060.

18, range 28, \$75. THE HORD-GAMMON CASE.

Opinion of the Supreme Court.

Irwin S. Campbell to John W. Me

lure, 15 acres in section 9, township

SUPREME COURT OF MISSOURI, April Term, 18sl. State of Missouri ex rel Que Warrante Filliam T. Gammon.

On the 4th day of August, 1874, the respondent was elected judge of the probate court of Lainy ette county for the term of six years, and was commissioned and qualified and entered upon the discharge of the dusies of the chief. It is agreed that his term of office expired in August 1880. At the general election, in November 1880, James Br Hord was elected to said office 1830. At the general election, in November, 1830, James B. Bord was elected to said office, and the only question to be determined relates to the validity of that election. If it was authorised by iaw shorts it a satuled to the effect otherwise respondent holds under his election in 1874, and until a successor shall be duly elected and qualified.

By section 34, article 8, constitution 1875, it is provided: "The general isseembly shill establish in every county a probate court, which which shall be a court directed. Said dourt shall have jurisdiction over all mattership funders and persons of business, to granting letters technique to try the Bath, in after the first two or three I began to feel like a new person. All I can see its to go and de likewise."

The Byring as time when the Electric Bath is persons of probate business, to granting letters technique to try the Bath, in a three the normal persons of probate business, to granting letters technique to try the Bath, in a three the first two or three I began to feel like a new person. All I can see its to go and de likewise."

The Byring as time when the Electric Bath is persons of probate business, to granting letters technique to try the Bath, it as the when the Electric Bath is persons of guardians and curstors of minors and persons of probate business, to granting letters are to go and deliceted to some extent lifetess of executors, administratore, curstors and guardians; and has also of lessing of lands by selfmin intractors, curstors and guardians; and has go in the same fix. I thought it was going to have typhoid fever. Some one aspace of Dr. Temple's viralizing Electric Bath, I fair as the when the Electric Bath. I fair set its go and deliceted to some extent lifetess of executors, administratore, curstors and guardians; and also intraction of the control of

that she induced twenty-two of the best families n her circle to adopt it as their regular family medicine. That "stuff" is Hop Bitters. a30:2. Bogus silver dollars and halves have been manufactured of late in the South

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convicts, assisted by a raseally guard.

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"Well, I declare, Mrs. A. You have described: my condition exactly. I just stapped into talk with you about my feelings; and/see it you could suggest some remedy; some scale or semething that with put new life into a Body. Dr. D. says it is a want of vital forme."

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